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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **SAIGO, Tsutomu, et al.**

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Examiner: **P. F. TIBBITS**

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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REGULATING STATE OF CHARGE IN BATTERY ASSEMBLY**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Date: October 27, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 27, 2005 for one-month, from September 27, 2005 to October 27, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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